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A list of topics for the MJV on ageing and mechanical integrity

- Countries legislation (legal requirements; standards; guide lines; etc.)
- Accidents and lessons learned form events related to the ageing management (accident-near misses history)
- SMS: asset integrity issues and ageing management: which checks under the operational control
- KPIs and SPIs: how to measure the operations integrity and the changes over the time

Inspections strategies:

- What are main differences and similarities between small/large and/or production/distribution/storage activities sites?
- What are the main challenges in inspection of small/large and/or production/distribution/storage activities sites?
- Which measures on site will be priorities for inspection (technical, managerial or organizational)?
- Does exist specific legislation or requirements associated with asset integrity issues (for each country) that can influence Seveso enforcement?
- What is the ageing management required for different sites
- What are typical inspector strengths/weaknesses in country to support inspections on asset integrity?

- In your opinion, should be necessary a specific training activity for the inspectors to assess asset integrity requirements? (maybe around Europe-sharing experiences in specific workshops?)
- Are there manuals or instructions on SEVESO approach to asset integrity issues available in your country?
- Do inspectors in your country generally use checklists (or part) for ageing issues, and if so, are they the same or different for small/large and/or production/distribution/storage activities sites?
- What are some SMS strengths and weaknesses for the asset integrity issues, found on large/small and/or production/distribution/storage activities sites?

Focus and techniques:

- What conditions and typical findings would convince you that the element of asset integrity was well-managed (e.g., equipment features, procedures, maintenance);
- What are signs that this inspection element is not well-managed (e.g., maintenance, safe operation, etc.)?
- What questions can inspectors ask to verify that the element of ageing was well-managed?
- What evidence do you look for during an inspection to confirm that the operator and staff understand (or don't understand) the issues related to the asset integrity and ageing management?
- What inspection frequencies/techniques/maintenance management criteria do you expect to see on a well-managed site?

Hazard identification and risk assessment process

- What are your expectations for hazard identification and risk assessment on different sites related to the asset integrity and ageing management?
- What process and methods do operators use to identify hazards typically, and how do they vary depending on the asset integrity and ageing management? (typical weaknesses and strengths; good practice)
- What typical changes occur on the sites that would require a new risk assessment? (relation between ageing and MOC)